IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-12 (Canceled).

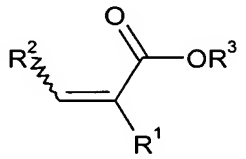
Claim 13 (New): A process for treating a textile, which comprises treating said textile with

(a) at least one alkali metal or ammonium salt of a copolymer obtainable by copolymerization of

(a1) from 1% to 20% by weight of (meth)acrylic acid,

(a2) from 2% to 20% by weight of (meth)acrylonitrile,

(a3) from 30% to 80% by weight of at least one comonomer of the general formula I



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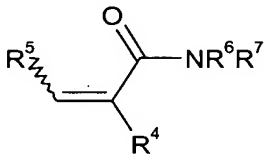
(a4) from 0% to 20% by weight of at least one amide of the general formula II



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where

R^1, R^2, R^4 and R^5 are each selected from hydrogen, branched C_1-C_{10}-alkyl and unbranched C_1-C_{10}-alkyl,

R^6 and R^7 are each selected from hydrogen, branched C_1-C_{10}-alkyl and unbranched C_1-C_{10}-alkyl, or R^6 and R^7 combine to form C_2-C_{10}-alkylene,

R^3 is selected from branched C_1-C_{10}-alkyl and unbranched C_1-C_{10}-alkyl.

(b) at least one polysiloxane,

(c) at least one solid material based on silicon dioxide,

(d) and water.

Claim 14 (New): The process according to claim 13 wherein said treating is effected in the presence of

(e) at least one protective colloid.

Claim 15 (New): The process according to claim 13 wherein at least one alkali metal or ammonium salt of a copolymer (a) has a dynamic viscosity in the range from 30 to 1500 mPa·s.

Claim 16 (New): The process according to claim 13 wherein at least one solid material based on silicon dioxide (c) is a pyrogenic silica gel.

Claim 17 (New): The process according to claim 15 wherein at least one polysiloxane (b) has a dynamic viscosity in the range from 100 to 2000 mPa·s.

Claim 18 (New): An aqueous formulation comprising

(a) at least one alkali metal or ammonium salt of a copolymer obtainable by copolymerization of

(a1) from 1% to 20% by weight of (meth)acrylic acid,

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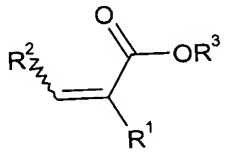

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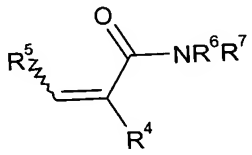

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(b) at least one alkali metal or ammonium salt of a copolymer,

(c) at least one polysiloxane,

(d) at least one solid material based on silicon dioxide.

Claim 19 (New): The formulation according to claim 18 further comprising

(e) at least one protective colloid.

Claim 20 (New): The formulation according to claim 18 wherein wherein at least one alkali metal or ammonium salt of a copolymer (a) has a dynamic viscosity in the range from 40 to 800 mPa·s.

Claim 21 (New): The formulation according to claim 18, wherein at least one solid material based on silicon dioxide (c) is a pyrogenic silica gel.

Claim 22 (New): The formulation according to any of claim 18, wherein at least one polysiloxane (b) has a dynamic viscosity in the range from 100 to 200 mPa·s.

Claim 23 (New): A method of using the formulation according to claim 18 for treatment textile.

Claim 24 (New): A process for treating a textile by using a formulation according to claim 18.